MAKE MONEY, BUT EAT LIKE SAVAGES

Superintendent and Penitentiary Surgeon Show Need of Kitchen and Dining Rooms.

Financially, the report of the State Penitentiary for the year of 1908, submitted to Governor Swanson yesterday by Superintendent E. F. Morgan, shows a net gain for the State of $26,183.17. The report of the superintendent reviewed fully the work of the year and made many recommendations for the better conduct of the institution. He called special attention to the need of a new kitchen and a dining-room, saying that the present kitchen was a disgrace, and that the method of feeding the prisoners in their cells was both unsanitary and costly. The superintendent asks for a parole officer, and additional guards on account of the electric chair.

According to the report of the surgeon, Dr. Charles V. Carrington, there have been many serious cases during the year, but the death rate has been held to the small raito of six to the thousand. Like the superintendent, he points to the urgent need of a new and sanitary kitchen and dining-room, saying that the convicts are now eating like savages without knives and forks, which, in his opinion, is debasing in its effect, besides being wasteful and unhygienic.

Concerning the electric chair, Dr. Carrington says, "It is a swift, sure, solemn and awe-inspiring mode of punishment, and to my mind is infinitely more humane than hanging."

Dr. Carrington appends a full list of the varieties of disease treated during the fiscal year ending September 30. The list seems to contain almost every sickness known, from the simplest to the most complicated, though those of a serious nature were greatly in the minority. Only four cases of pulmonary tuberculosis are reported. In the course of the year, 235 teeth were extracted by the penitentiary dentist. On the farm and in the building, thirty-six prisoners escaped. Of these fifteen were white men, twenty colored men and one colored woman. Twenty-two were recaptured, leaving fourteen now at large.

POLICE COURT CASES

Mattie Myers, Charged With Grand Larceny, Sent to Grand Jury.

Mattie Myers, a sixty-year-old colored woman, was sent on to the grand jury from the Police Court yesterday morning on the charge of stealing $400 from Annie Cephas.

Lily Hubbard (colored), charged with selling intoxicants without a license, appeared in court, but her case was continued to February 16.

William Stannard (colored) was sent on to the grand jury on a charge of illegally selling cocaine.

James A. Bane, a white boy, charged by his father with being beyond the control of his parents and incorrigible, was sentenced to a term in the Reformatory.

Suit Against Councilman.

Trial will begin to-day in the Law and Equity Court of the suit of the National State Bank against Councilman Harry Huber. The bank claims payment, with interest, of a series of small notes, aggregating $1,100, dated in the spring of 1895. Mr. Huber denies liability and will contest the claim.

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ARRANGE FOR MEETING

Educational Conference to Bring Many Noted Speakers Here.

Preparations are already under way for holding the educational conference of the Southern Methodist Church in this city from April 21 to 23. The meeting will bring together many of the most prominent educators in the country as well as representatives from the churches throughout the South and Southwest.

A committee for the entertainment of the visitors was recently appointed, consisting of Revs. W. A. Christian (chairman), G. C. Kelley, J. N. Latham, B. F. Lipscomb, James Cannon, Jr., and Messrs. L. P. Christian and John Freeman. This committee will arrange for a place of meeting and announce a program at a later date.

Several noted speakers will attend the conference, and it is the desire of the committee in charge to have President Woodrow Wilson, of Princeton University; President Eliot, of Harvard, and Chancellor Dudley, of Vanderbilt University, present during the meetings.

MUNICIPAL COMMITTEE

Holds First Meeting for Discussion of Tax Rate.

The municipal committee of the Chamber of Commerce held its first meeting yesterday afternoon. The only question considered was that of taxes imposed upon the merchants and manufacturers which apparently result in the city not getting its share of the money, and also in making many of the firms feel justified in evading the letter of the law in making their returns.

The committee expects by comparison and study to devise a method by which the city may get its rights and to have adopted a rate which will be so equitable as to relieve to a great extent the evasion of correct returns by the merchants and manufacturers. Without coming to a decision the committee adjourned subject to the call of the chairman. At the next meeting Commissioner of the Revenue Hawkins and others will appear and confer on the subject.

NO BATTALION DRILL

Weather Too Bad for Dress Parade of Richmond Blues.

Owing to the inclemency of the weather battalion drill was not held by the Richmond Light Infantry Blues last night. Companies C and B drilled for a short time, while Company A spent the time indoors in tripod exercise, aiming and sighting.

It was announced that members of Company A had secured 2,000 more coupons for their piano, and that they now have 5,000 more than the number which had been expected at this time.

Company A will take fifty-five men to the inaugural parade next month, and the other two companies will take about as many.

MORE TROOPS FROM CUBA PASS HERE

Eleventh Cavalry Goes to Fort Myer Over Coast Line—Fifteenth Cavalry Arrives To-Day.

Two squadrons of the Eleventh United States Cavalry, which have been stationed in Cuba with the army of Cuban pacification since October, 1906, passed through Richmond yesterday on two special trains of the Atlantic Coast Line en route for Fort Myer.

The first train of fifteen coaches reached this city at 10:30 o'clock yesterday morning, and the second of twenty-nine coaches arrived about 7:30 o'clock last night. There were two Pullmans, two cars of equipment and eleven cars of horses in the first train, while the second was made up of two Pullman cars, four equipment cars and twenty-three cars of horses.

The troops were transported by steamer from Havana to Tampa, Fla., two days ago. They arrived at Fort Myer last night, and are to be stationed at that place.

Another troop train will pass through Richmond this morning, coming from Newport News over the Chesapeake and Ohio Railway, and will carry the troops and horses and equipment of the Fifteenth United States Cavalry, which arrived at Newport News last night from Havana on the army transport Sumner. The Fifteenth Cavalry will go to Fort Sheridan, Wyoming.

MAKE THEIR REPORTS

Fifteen Commonwealth's Attorneys Meet Here.

Commonwealth's Attorneys for fifteen cities and towns of Virginia, who at the last annual meeting of the association were assigned the task of revising the criminal code of Virginia, made a report of their labors at a meeting last night at the Westmore- and the reading of the reports required every section of the code were made, and the reading of he reports required about four hours.

The reports will be submitted to a subcommittee composed of Captain Richard C. Marshall, of Portsmouth (chairman); Captain Charles C. Berkley, of Newport News; Minetree Folkes, of Richmond; Charles L. Page, of Manchester; George Haw, of Hanover, and W. E. Bibb, of Louisa. This committee will make a report of its work to the committee of fifteen, and the code as revised will be adopted. It will then be presented to the State Association of Commonwealth's Attorneys at its annual meeting in August for ratification.

The State Bar Association will pass upon the revised code, and finally it will be sent to the State Legislature for enactment into law at the next session, in January, 1910.

The committee of fifteen is composed of the following Commonwealth's Attorneys: Minetree Folkes, of Richmond; Charles C. Berkley, of Newport News; Robert D. Yancey, of Lynchburg; Everett Perkins, of Roanoke; George N. Conrad, of Harrisonburg; Micajah Woods, of Charlottesville; James U. Burgess, of Suffolk; J. A. C. Keith, of Warrenton; A. D. Watkins, of Farmville; H. H. Byrd, of Warm Springs; H. E. Bibb, of Louisa; W. J. Sebrell, of Courtland, and R. E. Woolwine, of Stuart, with Captain Marshall, of Portsmouth, as chairman.

Peachy Appointed.

WASHINGTON, D. C., February 9.—The appointment of Thomas G. Peachy, to be postmaster at Williamsburg, Va., to succeed himself, was confirmed by the Senate to-day.

A Generous Gift

Professor Munyon has just issued a most beautiful, useful and complete almanac. It contains not only all the scientific information concerning the moon's phases, in all the latitudes, but has illustrated articles on how to read character by phrenology, palmistry and birth month. It also tells all about card reading, birth stones and their meaning, and gives the interpretation of dreams. It teaches beauty culture, manicuring, gives weights and measures and antidotes for poison. In fact, it is a Magazine Almanac, that not only gives valuable information, but will afford much amusement for every member of the family, especially for parties and evening entertainments. Farmers and people in the rural districts will find this Almanac almost invaluable.

It will be sent to anyone absolutely free on application to the Munyon Remedy Company, Philadelphia, Pa.

TRIES TO DROWN HERSELF AND BABY

Mattie Beverly, Colored, Reduced to Hopeless Despair by Divorce.

Reduced to the last stress of hopeless despair on account of the divorce by which she had been separated from her husband and her inability to support her ten-months-old child, Mattie Beverly, colored, of 1004 North Eighth Street, early yesterday morning tried to drown her child in a bathtub and then endeavored to commit suicide by the same method.

She held the baby in the water until she thought it dead, and then, taking it out, attempted to hold her own head down in the tub until she slowly strangled to death. But the impulses of her physical nature overcame the power of her will and the wild desire for death. She raised her head from the tub, shrieking. Her cries aroused the other people in the house, and all rushed upstairs.

The woman ran out of the house, but she was caught and brought back, and Dr. Sterrett, of the city ambulance, was summoned. He attended the baby first, restoring it, after some hard work, to consciousness. Its mother had thought the child dead when its struggles ceased, but she took it out just in the nick of time. The woman was not much injured, though she suffered greatly from nervous shock, superinduced by the previous depression which she had undergone for weeks.

Both mother and child were afterwards taken to the Richmond Hospital, a colored institution, where it was stated that they were doing well.

WANT GOOD ROADS

Directors Virginia Division, T. P. A., Indorse Government Aid.

The State board of directors of Virginia Division of the Travelers' Protective Association held its regular bimonthly session last night, and transacted considerable business.

The date for the next annual State convention was set for April 22-23 at Martinsville. The place was chosen at the last convention, held in Roanoke, but the date was left open to suit the convenience of the Martinsville people. R. B. Semple, the director from Martinsville, in naming the date, stated that his people would show the delegates the time of their lives.

The directors reviewed the work the association had rendered in the formation of the Greater Highways Association, and unanimously indorsed the bill now pending in Congress to provide national aid in connection with State and county aid in building permanent highways. The action of Virginia delegation will be presented to every State division, and their cooperation will be asked.

National Director E. R. Barksdale, of Portsmouth, will present the resolution at the next meeting of the national board, and the national board will cooperate with the States in urging the passage of the appending bill for national aid. The directors also passed on a number of other matters of less importance. The directors will be joined to-morrow by delegations from every post in the State to assist in the formation of the Greater Highways Association.

Those present were: D. L. Traynham, of South Boston, president; H. L. Harwood, of Richmond, secretary and treasurer; J. E. Jones, of Blackstone, second vice-president. Directors: T. S. Beckwith, Petersburg; J. Y. Williams, Alexandria; L. B. Davis, Roanoke; C. Manning, Norfolk; R. B. Semple, Martinsville; D. R. Sale, Lynchburg; W. K. Bache, of Richmond; Hampton Fleming, of Richmond; E. D. Quarles, of Richmond; R. L. Winston, of Richmond; A. D. Brockett, of Alexandria, chairman of railroad committee; George W. Rogers, Richmond, chairman of press committee; E. R. Barksdale, of Portsmouth, chairman of good roads and public utilities; J. A. Mahood, secretary of Post G, Lynchburg; E. M. Stribling, secretary of Post B, Norfolk.

CREDIT MEN TO MEET

Committee Nominates Leon Wallerstein as Next President.

Invitations were issued yesterday by Secretary Jo Lane Stern, of the Richmond Credit Men's Association, for the annual meeting of that body, which will be held in the Business Men's Club Thursday, February 18, at 7 o'clock. Supper is the first thing on the program. The business session and the election of officers will follow. The committee on nominations has named the following ticket to be voted on: President, Leon Wallerstein; Vice-President, J. Willard Craig, Jr.; Treasurer, George B. Wilson. Executive Committee—W. B. Broaddus, Rives Fleming, B. T. Crump, George Keesee and Peyton Giles. The constitution provides that other nominations may be made at the meeting.

Several reports of special committees will be read at this meeting, one on a plan to raise a fund for the prosecution of fraudulent debtors and the mode of operating such schemes. The executive committee will report its progress in the effort to have the Weather Bureau building here. The attention of the members is called to the fact that a special meeting of the local association will be called to meet President Gettys and Secretary-Treasurer Meek, who will be in the city March 3. They are asked not to leave for the inauguration before they have welcomed these officers to the city.

REJECTS PLAN TO UNITE WITH MANCHESTER

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others, Mr. Satterfield, patron of the ordinance, argued for the appointment of the committee, declaring that it obligated the Council to nothing, but was merely an inquiry into the advisability of the union of the cities. Mr. Whittet aided the opposition, declaring that the appointment of the committee was an entering wedge, and committed the city to ultimate consolidation.

"I am opposed even to looking into the matter at this time," said Mr. Whittet. "We have more annexed territory than we can properly care for now, and our own citizens are crying for relief. Without enormous bond issues we cannot save the city from damage suits for failure to make ordinary provision for citizens already within our bounds."

Present Territory Not Improved.

"Amen, brother," said Mr. Elliett, coming vigorously to the front under Mr. Whittet's argument. "We annexed some outlying property two years ago," said Mr. Elliett. "What is the result? The streets out there are not as well kept as when the county kept them. Our own citizens are wallowing in the mud. The Street Committee wants $300,000 for one culvert alone in this section, and it must be built, or the city will be sued for every case of sickness in Clay Ward. Let us wait. To take on Manchester now only means to add on more troubles."

Mr. Hobson spoke briefly, favoring the appointment of the committee of inquiry as a technicality that would come back for later action, but the roll call showed 6 to 12, as follows:

Ayes—Messrs. Adams, Gunst, Hobson, Nelson, Satterfield and Wood.

Noes—Messrs. Bennett, Burton, Cottrell, Donahoe, Elliett, Gilman, Melton, Mitchell, Moncure, Powers, Richardson and Whittet.

The body accepted with thanks an invitation to take part in the meeting of the Greater Highways Association this week, and also passed an ordinance accepting a drinking fountain from a Baltimore woman in memory of a "Man Who Loved Animals," the exact location to be selected by the Committee on Streets. The donor bears all costs of the erection of the fountain, which is of marble and valued at $2,000, the city to provide for water and general oversight.

Chairs for Auditorium.

On the roll-call Mr. Whittet offered a resolution appropriating $5,000 to provide suitable chairs in the City Auditorium. It was referred to the Finance Committee. Mr. Mitchell offered an ordinance conferring police powers on a number of park keepers, which went to the Committee on Ordinance, Charter and Reform, as did an ordinance offered by Mr. Elliett, requiring persons who have entrances or wagon-ways over sidewalks to keep them in good condition.

The Grounds and Buildings Committee recommended the rejection of the offer of James T. Sloan of a lot at Twenty-fourth and Franklin Streets for a playground as inadequate, and the offer was rejected with thanks. Salary increases recommended by the Committee on Ordinance, Charter and Reform include the Chief Health Officer, the Assistant Superintendent of Fire Alarm and the clerk to the Building Inspector. All went to the Finance Committee.

Crowds in Police Court.

The Ordinance, Charter and Reform Committee reported favorably an ordinance in regard to the overcrowding of the Police Court to prevent the spread of contagious disease and disorder in the court, to exclude from the courtroom all persons not having business there, unless provided with cards of admission from the Mayor or the Police Justice, making it a misdemeanor for any person to enter without such permission, recoverable by a fine of from $2 to $5. The ordinance was adopted without debate. An ordinance requiring lights on all vehicles at night was rejected.

The Board concurred in instructing the City Attorney to acquire land to straighten Harrison Street, at a cost of $660; in remitting the sewer tax wherever city water is not available; appropriating $642.50 to pay the claim of the C. Manning Plumbing Company for extra work at the Colored City Home, caused by a mistake in the plans; directing the Auditor to continue to pay vouchers for the erection of the High School building from the general fund until an appropriation is available; paying a claim of the City Sergeant for vagrancy charges, and changing the name of Walnut Street from Grove Avenue to Cary Street, and Carter Street from Cary Street to Colorado Avenue, to Allen Avenue.

Reject Plan for Printing.

After extended debate the Board refused to concur in an ordinance to have printed a synopsis of the business to be brought before the Council at each meeting, to be distributed two days before each regular meeting of either branch. President Wood took the floor in opposition, saying he saw no necessity for it; that it would add additional duties to the clerk, already overworked; that the printing of titles would be of no value; that it was a useless expense when money was needed, and that it would only cause additional delay in important legislation.

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News of the Southside

Charles J. Dobbins, of 609 Hull Street, died yesterday at 1:30 P. M. in the Memorial Hospital, Richmond, as the result of a fractured skull, received by a fall down the stairs in his home Tuesday morning at 12:30 o'clock. Mr. Dobbins was on his way to his bedroom, and had reached the top of the stairs, when in some way his foot slipped, and he fell backwards to the floor below, landing on his head. Members of the family, hearing the fall, rushed to his assistance, and carried him to his room. A physician was summoned, but the nature of his injuries was not discovered until shortly after 10 o'clock, when Dr. Matthews was called. Mr. Dobbins was at once taken to the hospital, where an operation was performed. He stood the operation successfully, and some hope for his recovery was entertained, but an hour later complications set in, and he died. Dr. Matthews, who performed the operation, said that the fracture was the most severe he ever saw. It extended from just above the right eye, back behind the ear to the base of the brain. All four bones in the right side of the head were broken and mashed against the brain.

Mr. Dobbins was fifty-seven years of age, and had lived in this city nearly all his life. He was born in Chesterfield county. He was an iron moulder by trade, but for the past few years his health had not permitted him to work. Besides his wife, he is survived by four sons—W. J., James W., C. J. and E. J. Dobbins, and Misses Catherine and Margaret Dobbins, of this city. The funeral will take place from Meade Memorial Episcopal Church to-morrow afternoon at 3 o'clock. Interment will be made in Maury Cemetery.

Consolidation Killed.

The action of the Board of Aldermen of Richmond last night in refusing to appoint a committee to confer with a like committee from the Council of this city on the consolidation question will cause a great deal of surprise in Manchester, as the refusal comes from an unexpected quarter. Citizens of this city, who favor consolidation, were sure that there would be no hitch on the other side of the river, but were looking for a stiff fight when the matter was presented to the City Assembly here at the meeting Friday night.

Even anti-consolidationists had no idea that the Richmond body would do anything but appoint a committee of conference, and were marshaling their forces for a strenuous opposition here. As the matter now stands the much-mooted question is a dead issue. It is certainly dead for a number of years at least, and what promised to be the prettiest ballot fight ever seen in this city, will not come off. It may hurt the civic pride of the anti-consolidationists to know that Richmond does not want Manchester as much as Manchester thought she did, but those who were communicated with last night were happy nevertheless. When the question comes up again, if it ever does, Manchester will probably modify its demands, many of which Richmond Aldermen considered unreasonable.

Now for Swansboro.

Coming hard upon the heels of the now dead Manchester-Richmond consolidation question, comes the news from Swansboro that the folks in that little town, as a majority, are as bitterly opposed to becoming annexed to Manchester, as a great many citizens of this city were to Manchester becoming a part of Richmond.

The question was started at a meeting of the Business Men's Association, and grew out of the movement on the part of certain Swansboro citizens towards obtaining a charter for the town. A committee was appointed to look into the matter, and will report at the next meeting of the organization, but the movement isn't popular in Swansboro and may never be consummated. Several citizens were interview by a Times-Dispatch reporter yesterday and were not in favor of becoming a part of this city. These same men, however, were heartily in favor of geeting a charter for the town, and will keep working on the matter until something definite is decided.

Hymns and Hymn Writers.

An evening with "Hymns and Hymn Writers" will be given in Meade Memorial Episcopal Church to-morrow night at 8 o'clock. Rev. R. W. Forsyth, rector of St. Paul's Episcopal Church, Richmond, will lecture on the selections, and the music rendered will be of a high order. The choir of the church will be assisted by some of Richmond's best talent for the occasion.

Mrs. Staples Critically Ill.

Mrs. M. J. Staples, of Cowardin Avenue and Porter Street, who underwent an operation at the Memorial Hospital, Richmond, last week for mastoiditis, is critically ill, and little hope for her recovery is entertained. Mr. Staples was communicated with last night and stated that the doctors said his wife had only slight chances of recovery. She is still at the hospital, and at a late hour was reported as being very low.

Death of Former Resident.

Edwin Day, son of Charles E. Day, of the Southern Railway, died at his home, 603 North Ninth Street, Richmond, yesterday morning at 4 o'clock. The funeral will take place this morning at 11 o'clock from the home. Interment will be made in Maury Cemetery. Mr. Day was well known in this city, where he spent most of his life.

To Celebrate Anniversary.

Liberty Council, Jr. O. U. A. M., of Swansboro, will celebrate the twenty-first anniversary of the organization of the lodge Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock, when it will hear a sermon by Rev. J. M. Rowland, pastor of West End Methodist Church of this city. The following Tuesday a smoker will be held in the lodge room. Liberty Council has a large membership, and is financially one of the strongest lodges in this part of the country.

Personals and Briefs.

At the meeting of Manchester Aerie of Eagles last night the initiating team put six candidates through the mysteries of the order.

The reception at the Elks' Home yesterday evening was largely attended by the members, their families and friends. Music was rendered and light refreshments served.

Miss Annie Cecil Fitzgerald is quite sick at her home on East Thirteenth Street.

H. V. Baldwin left yesterday for Norfolk, where he will attend the Antisaloon League Convention as a delegate from Central Methodist Church.

John Porter (colored) was fined $10 by Mayor Maurice yesterday morning for throwing a billiard ball at another negro sport in an uptown pool parlor.

Chesterfield County Court convened yesterday for the February term. There are no criminal cases on the docket this term, and only civil matters will be heard.

T. P. Pettigrew is in Norfolk attending the Antisaloon League Convention.

R. T. Webster, of Thirteenth and McDonough Streets, is very ill at his home.

Mrs. George Smart has returned from Jetersville.

Clarence Cole (colored), from Clover, awaits his Honor, the Mayor, in the police station, charged with trespassing on the Southern Railway property. Clarence is sorry he didn't stay in Clover, and says he was on his way back when arrested.

FALLS UNDER WHEELS.

Passenger on Southern Meets Death at Monroe.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]

LYNCHBURG, VA., February 9.—At Monroe, on the Southern Railroad, late to-night a well-dressed business man got off southbound passenger train No. 29 when it stopped to change engines. As it started he attempted to board a Pullman, but slipped under the car, and his head was nearly severed from his body, which was found after the train had gone. A card was found on his person with the name Waldron Bates, Colonial Hotel, Boston, and the authorities have telegraphed there. He seemed to be about forty years old, and weighed about 135 pounds.

AMUSEMENTS.

Bijou—"Lena Rivers.
Lubin—Continuous Vaudeville.

Mme. Marchesi on Friday.

From present indication the Academy of Music will be filled to its capacity when Mme. Blanche Marchesi appears Friday evening of this week. This will unquestionably be the most conspicuous social and musical event of the present season. Mme. Marchesi, unlike many other celebrated song birds, owes but little of her remarkable social footing to a success secured through professional triumphs, although on many of the world's distinguished men and women social attentions are lavished solely because it has ever been the custom to lionize genius; in fact, this flattering respect has grown to be an accepted heritage to footlight favorites. Along with other sister artists Marchesi has enjoyed the aura popularis, but her social lustre is rather the result of her high birth coupled with the artistry engendered through daily association ever since her birth with the cognoscenti the world over.

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